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September 28, 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Henry A. Kissinger/K

SUBJECT: My September 27 Meeting with the North Vietnamese

My four and one half hour meeting with Xuan Thuy and Mai Van Bo was thoroughly unproductive and we adjourned without setting a new date.

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The other significant points of the meeting included the following:

[redacted]

-- Per your instructions I emphasized our concern about prisoners of war and said that I have not pressed the problem in this channel because we consider it a humanitarian issue, not one where our men can be used as hostages.